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(57) Abstract: According to a first aspect the invention relates to the use of fumaric acid derivatives selected from the group consist-
ing of dialkyl fumarates, monoalkyl hydrogen fumarates, fumaric acid monoalkyl ester salts, fumaric acid monoamides, monoamido
fumaric acid salts, fumaric acid diamides, monoalkyl monoamido fumarates, carbocyclic and oxacarbocyclic oligomers of these com-
pounds and mixtures thereof for preparing a drug for the treatment or prevention of cardiac insufficiency, in particular left ventricular
insufficiency, myocardial infarction and angina pectoris. According to a second aspect the invention relates to the use of fumaric
acid derivatives, selected from the group consisting of dialkyl fumarates, monoalkyl hydrogen fumarates, fumaric acid monoalkyl
ester salts, fumaric acid monoamido fumaric acid salts, fumaric acid diamides, monoalkyl monoamido fumarates, carbocyclic and
oxacarbocyclic oligomers of these compounds and mixtures thereof for preparing a drug for the treatment of asthma and chronic ob-
structive pulmonary diseases, especially asthma caused by allergies, infections, analgesics, job conditions or physical effort, mixed
forms of asthma, or asthma cardiale.